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Docket No. : 000594-125951

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**Substance of Interview** begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Exhibit "A" – Argument Re Claims Subject to 37 C.F.R. 1.131** begins on page 11.

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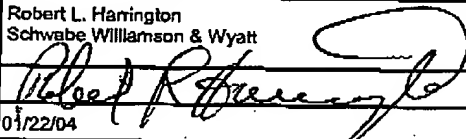
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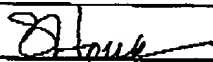
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